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The Honorable Peter W. Rodino, Jr.
The House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rodino:

We greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness in advising us by your letter of October 24th that the Committee on the Judiciary had favorably reported your bill, H. R. 2138, to permit naturalization for certain persons, which would include certain employees of Radio Free Europe. I was also pleased to receive the copy you enclosed of the hearings conducted by Subcommittee No. 1 on this legislation.

Please accept our sincere congratulations on the success of your efforts in your Committee in behalf of this bill. We are most grateful to you for the continuing support you have given to this proposed legislation.

If you can give me a few minutes at your convenience, I would very much like to have a talk with you next time I am in Washington, to get your views regarding future House and Senate action on the bill. I will call your office to see if I can arrange an appointment with you, before I fix the exact timing of my next trip to Washington.

With high respect and personal best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

C. Rodney Smith

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